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Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni  
Chief Clerk/Administrator  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100  
Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Petition of AAA Utilities, Inc. for Extension of Water Service Area to Serve Ridge  
Pointe Subdivision

Docket No.: 2006-218-W

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Please allow this correspondence to serve as notification that the Office of Regulatory Staff does not oppose the expansion of service area requested by AAA Utilities, Inc. in the referenced docket. ORS has been provided with all requested information, and ORS has reviewed the plans and find them acceptable.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,

C. Lessie Hammonds

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cc: Joseph E. Swearingen